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## A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Addresses the Engineers on Many Practical Phases of Engineering.

The students of the Engineering Department were addressed Saturday afternoon by Mr. J. A. L. Wadell of Kansas City, a member of the firm of Wadell and Herick, consulting engineers. In this work Mr. Wadell has had perhaps as extensive experience as any living engineer, it being quite correctly said of him that his bridges span every tributary of the Mississippi.

Mr. Wadell's reputation is an international one. Twenty-five years ago, when the Emperor of Japan sent to America for some to fill the chair of engineering Mr. Wadell was the man selected. Some of his experiences while in the islands were recounted to the students and proved very interesting, as well as instructive. In Mr. Wadell's opinion, the Japanese are the best students in the world. And he says that though their originality has not yet been developed because of the great amount of knowledge that they are now acquiring by imitation, he believes that when this fund is exhausted they will prove to be equal in originality to ourselves.

The portion of Mr. Wadell's talk, however, which proved of greatest interest, was that part in which he gave some very valuable advice to young engineers. He does not believe in specialization, at least not in a college course. His idea is that an engineering student should get as broad a knowledge of engineering as possible. If a man, after several years experience in different branches of engineering finds that one particular field of work appeals to him above all others, then he says specialization is justifiable.

Mr. Wadell expressed himself as very heartily in favor of every engineer joining the American Society of Civil Engineers soon after graduation. A great deal of good, he said, as well as an enviable prestige, is to be derived from membership in this society.

After a short talk Mr. Wadell very kindly offered to answer any questions that the students might ask. In answering one of these questions he spoke of the relative importance of the four main divisions of engineering—Mechanical, Civil, Mining and Electrical; and gave it as his opinion that Civil Engineering is the most important. He remarked, however, that Mining Engineering is the most remunerative.

In addition to his extensive practical

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## Texas Trims the Ministers

Varsity Defeats Texas Christian University in Hard Fought Game by the Score of 11 to 0.

Those who saw the game last Saturday were treated to a surprise. T. C. U. showed unexpected strength, and a knowledge of the game that came near costing the Varsity dear. In the first half the visitors would have placed the pig-skin behind the Longhorns' goal line but for "Mogul's" great tackle. All through the game T. C. U. played a strong game both on the offensive and defensive. Texas also played a good game, but several costly fumbles undoubtedly kept the score down. Her steady line-bucking and ground-gaining end runs showed the true Texas spirit.

At first the "Longhorns" swept the "Ministers" back, but suddenly rallying, the visitors took the ball on a fumble and on the next play the sturdy full-back, Gallaher, smashed through the line for forty yards, to be stopped dangerously near the coveted goal. Here the Varsity stiffened up and in a few seconds the ball was being carried down the field and the spectators breathed a sigh of relief.

For Texas "Mogul" and "Wilkie" played the steadiest game, and the way McMahon plunged through the visitors' line for long gains was good to see. Just before the end of the first half Jones had to leave the game on account of a broken nose. He was replaced by Duncan, who played as plucky an end as his predecessor. On the whole the playing of Texas' back-field was superb. The line showed its inexperience somewhat. For T. C. U. Gallaher was easily the star. He played a strong, fast game on the offensive and on the defensive he broke up many of Texas' plays. Ashmore and Rattan did fine interference work. The whole team played a good aggressive game.

### The Game in Detail.

Hendrickson kicked to T. C. U.'s 20-yard line. On two plays through center and tackle T. C. U. netted 21-2 yards. Then the visitors kicked 20 yards to Wilkerson, who downed without gain. On the next two plays Robinson gained 25 yards. Then Householder bucks center for 5 yards. Hendrickson made 6 yards through tackle, followed by Robinson, who plunged through for six more. Hendrickson fumbled and Wilkerson fell on the ball. Time was here taken out, as

Householder was hurt. On the next play the plucky full back made 5 yards through center. Robbie fumbled but recovered the ball. Here Wilkerson gave the signal for "back right" formation and Hendrickson hurdled the line for 5 yards and a touch down. Jones missed goal. Time, 5 minutes. Score, Texas, 5; T. C. U., 0.

Texas kicked to the 30-yard line and T. C. U. failed to advance the ball. The next play resulted in a 2-yard gain. T. C. U. kicked to the 40-yard line. Texas' ball. Hendrickson made 2 yards and then 1 yard. Ramsdell, on a tackle-back play, made 2 yards. Then Householder made 1 yard. Texas fumbled to T. C. U.

Here Gallaher made his 25-yard run. T. C. U. tried center for no gain; Gallaher made 10 yards. T. C. U. fails to gain, but Gallaher makes 5 yards on next play. At this point Texas gets the ball on downs. Householder went through for 10 yards, followed by a double play, Householder to Jones, who got 2 yards. Robbie smashed through tackle for 1 more. Here Robinson kicked 90 yards to Grisson and tackled him before he could return a yard. T. C. U. tried left end, but did not gain. Gallaher made 1 yard through tackle. Time was taken out for Ashmore who was hurt. With 4 yards to gain, T. C. U. kicked to Wilkerson on 10-yard line, who returned 10 yards. On the next two plays Robinson made 5 yards and Householder 3 yards. Jones made 1 yard on a double poll. Orgain got 2 yards and Hendrickson 3. Texas was penalized 5 yards for off side play. Robinson punted 30 yards to outside. Gallaher made 21-2 yards. Rattan was thrown back 3 yards and fumbled, but T. C. U. got the ball. Gallaher failed to gain, but Muse made 6 yards. T. C. U. bucked to Texas' 35-yard line. Robbie made 5 yards and Householder plunged through center for 5. Hendrickson got 2 around right end, followed by Householder, who made 6 and 4 yards. In the scrimmage Jones had his nose broken, and was replaced by Duncan. Duncan made 3 yards and Hendrickson 3 just as time was called.

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## FRATERNITY PLEDGING

After the smoke has cleared away, the following is the result of the rushing season, which is authentic, though not absolutely complete:

Kappa Alpha—H. P. Robertson, Temple; J. R. Webb, Albany; G. D. Sears, Houston; Frank Pascal, San Antonio, and Liston Casey, Albany.

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Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Clinton Bolinger, Waco; Jack Duncan, Columbus, and Shelton Edgell, Dallas.

Beta Theta Pi—Will King, Fort Worth; Chilton Jennings, Fort Worth; Robert Carlock, Fort Worth; Will Clarkson, Corsicana; Oscar Gilcrest, Gainesville; Hugh Potter, Gainesville; Ovid Kinsolving, Austin; Clifford Witherspoon, Denton; Mike Hogg, Austin.

Phi Delta Theta—F. B. Duncan, Egypt; R. F. Dickson, Wharton; S. R. Watkin, Dallas; Tom Leachman, Robt. Baddy, Robt. O'Connor and Chas. McCormick of Dallas; D. Pruitt, Fort Worth; E. White, Meridian; Judge Tyler; H. McMeans, Palestine; J. E. Muse, Currie McCutcheon, Dallas.

Sigma Nu—W. Thompson, Dallas; Dan Murchison, El Paso; Vestal Wright, Cleburne; Raymond Balddridge, Ennis; Rufus Sparks, Weatherford.

Phi Kappa Psi—T. F. Mitchell, Taylor; Ross Boothe, Gonzales; W. B. Smith, Longview; J. North, Sherman; E. Karnes, Gonzales; Jones Matthews, Gonzales; J. Brown, Longview; Owen Smith, McKinney; F. Alexander, Bonham.

Sigma Chi—Alfred Kleberg, Austin; Joe Willis, Beaumont; Dudley Tarlton, Austin; Tom Devine, Austin; Will Morrow, Hillsboro.

The other fraternities preferred not to give out their pledges as yet, and therefore the above is as complete a list as can be announced for the present.

### SENIOR MEETING.

The Senior class held their first meeting Tuesday afternoon and organized for the year. Their officers for this term are: D. P. Wall, president; Miss Ethel Morey, vice-president; Miss Laura Saul, secretary; Miss Harris, treasurer. In addition to these officers, Mr. W. C. Bryant was appointed to investigate the question of class pins.

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Borrowers of overdue books are notified by postal that their books are overdue; but failure to receive such notice does not remit or lessen a fine.

The faculty and students registered as graduate students have direct access to the shelves. Other advanced students may be given direct access to the shelves by the Librarian on the request of an instructor. Students preparing for an intercollegiate debate or for appearance on a literary society program may, on request at the loan desk, have direct access to the shelves during the period of such preparation.

Borrowers will sign call-slips at the loan desk for all books, maps, etc., taken from the Library, and may have their call-slips on the return of the books unless there is a fine or other charge to be assessed. If there is a fine the slip will be kept by the Librarian as a memorandum and the amount of fine or charge will be deducted from the library deposit of the borrower.

### MATRICULATION.

During the last week forty-nine new students matriculated, bringing the total number up to 1163. The would-be Freshmen who were conditioned in the entrance examinations have had another chance this week and it is thought that the enrollment will be thus increased a good deal more. The registration in the main University for this year will undoubtedly pass the 1200 mark. Up to the present time it is not known just what the matriculation is in the Medical Department, but it is larger than ever before. Counting all departments, there are some 1500 or 1600 students in the University of Texas.

### ORATORICAL OUTLOOK.

Professor Shurter of the School of Oratory has prepared the manuscript for a pamphlet of information concerning the yearly contests, which are held under the general auspices of the Oratorical Association, and under the specific direction of the Council of Public Speaking. This pamphlet it is expected will be ready for distribution in about two weeks.

While we are waiting for its appearance The Texan thought it well to give in brief outline something of what was before the literary societies during the current year.

During the fall term the only contest which comes off is the contest in Extempore Speaking. The final will be held on the first Saturday night in December. Tomorrow night at each of the societies the same general subject and the sub-topics which have been selected by the Faculty Committee of Forensics and Oratory will be announced. Then at 5 p. m. on the third Saturday in November those who desire to enter the contest will, in each society separately, draw for topics and at eight that night the preliminary contest will be held. The final contest subjects will be chosen in exactly the same way and from the same group of topics.

The next contest will be held in January, the third Saturday night. This is the Inter-society debate and contest for choosing the representatives to the inter-collegiate debates.

A prize of one hundred dollars is offered by Senator S. P. Skinner of Waxahachie to be divided among the four men chosen to make the "Varsity" teams. The society preliminaries of this contest will be held in the respective society rooms on the second Saturday night of December.

Mr. Ira H. Evans offers a prize of one hundred dollars for the three best orations on one of six subjects submitted by himself on Municipal Government. The prize is to be divided as follows:

Fifty dollars for the best oration, thirty for the next best and twenty for the third best. The preliminary is to be held on the second Saturday night in February. The manner of choosing the final contestants has not yet been determined on, but will be definitely determined next week.

The last contest of the year is a contest in declamation. The prize of twenty-five dollars is given by Dr. E. P. Wilmot of the Austin National bank. This contest is held on the first Saturday night in April.

To be eligible to the contests one must be a member of one of the two Literary Societies—the Rusk or the Athenaeum. In order to get the best results in his work a man should join one of the societies at one and get started to work on his contest as soon as the subjects are announced.

Each society is in good spirits and is exceedingly hopeful of getting a good number of these honors for itself. All of the contests, therefore, promise to be very spirited, and of course will be very interesting.

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**TEXAS TRIMS THE MINISTERS**  
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**Second Half.**

T. C. U. took the kick. Gallaher kicked off to Wilkerson on goal line. He returned 15 yards. Duncan circled right end for 10 yards, but lost the ball. T. C. U. made 2 yards on two plays, then kicked to Wilkerson behind the goal line. He punted out from the 25-yard line. T. C. U.'s ball in center of field. Rattan failed to gain and kicked to Hendrickson, who returned 10 yards. Mcnext play he made 10 yards. Crane went in at full and Ashmore was replaced by Obenchain. McMahon made 10 yards and Ramsdell circled left end for 5 more. Crane smashed through center for 3 yards. Robinson made 1. Knight was hurt. Ramsdell made 10 and on back-right formation McMahon went through the line for 5 yards. Crane made 5, McMahon 11 and Crane 5 more. Shipp took Bloor's place. Duncan skirted left end for a 15-yard run. Wilkerson gave the signal for left-tackle over and Orgain made 2 yards. Crane made 1 yard for a touch down. McMahon kicked goal. Score: Texas, 11; T. C. U., 0.

T. C. U. returned McMahon's kick from the 20 to the 30 yard line. Gallaher made 7 yards and Muse 2. On a right tackle play Gallaher made 5 yards and on next play fumbled the ball, but regained it. Here T. C. U. failed to make distance and kicked 20 yards to Wilkie who returned 10 yards. T. C. U. was penalized 5 yards for off side play. Hastings went in at full, but failed to notify the referee, so McMahon was called back after a pretty run of 20 yards. Texas was penalized 5 yards. Here Texas "sailed into" the visitors. McMahon made 10, Robinson 5, Ramsdell 10, Robinson 2 1-2, Duncan 2 1-2 and McMahon 2. After this onslaught it seemed that Texas would score and time was the only thing that saved the "Ministers." Hastings made 5 through center and Texas lined up for a tackle-back play when time was called with the ball on the 5-yard line.

The line up was as follows:

Texas.	Positions.	T. C. U.
Ramsdell	R. E.	Frizell
Orgain	R. T.	Bloor
Weinart	R. G.	Wright
Parrish	C.	Martin
Mainland	L. G.	Owens
Ramsdell.	L. T.	Muse
Jones.	L. E.	Knight (c.)
Hendrickson.	R. H.	Rattan
Robinson, (c)	L. H.	Ashmore
Householder.	F. B.	Gallaher
Wilkerson.	G.	Grisson

Referee, Watson; Umpire, Hyde; Linesmen, Howser, Robards and Laverder; Timers, King and Shirley; Time of halves, 20 minutes.

**NOTICE.**

There will be a meeting Monday at 3 p. m. to elect the representatives to the Executive Committee of the Student's Association. The constitution provides for five representatives from each department, making a total of sixteen, with the president. This is an important matter and should have the attention of the students.

**Lost.**

A jeweled Phi Kappa Psi fraternity pin. Return to the Registrar or to Henry Fletcher.

**A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR**  
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work as an engineer, Mr. Wadell is an author of considerable note in the engineering world. A book of a rather untechnical nature is his, "The First Two Years of an Engineer's Life." By those fortunate enough to hear Mr. Wadell's talk, it can easily be believed that his books are not only instructive but interesting as well.

**THE ENGINEERS ORGANIZE.**

Officers were elected at Mass Meeting.

Immediately after the address by Mr. Wadell on Saturday afternoon, a business meeting of the Engineering Department was called for the purpose of perfecting a department organization. To prevent the squeezing out of the smaller schools in the race for officers, a motion was made and carried to the effect that the presidency be each term given to a different school, the particular term for each to be decided by lot. The lot fell to the Miners and Mr. R. R. Foster was elected president. The other officers were filled as follows: A. L. Toomb, vice president; W. W. Wilson, secretary; Julian Hinds, treasurer; Deen, sergeant at arms.

The meeting was then adjourned, and the different classes elected their individual officers as follows:

**Seniors.**

W. W. Wilson, president; J. B. White, vice president; Perry Aley, secretary; W. T. Lee, treasurer; E. H. Johns, sergeant at arms.

**Juniors.**

C. W. Pritchett, president; John Hollman, vice president; R. J. Williams, secretary; Garbrecht, treasurer; Jack Stanage, sergeant at arms.

**Sophomores.**

Charles Duff, president; Isaacs, vice president; Charley Jones, secretary treasurer; J. I. Burnes, sergeant at arms.

**Freshmen.**

Shannon Watkins, president; John McCormick, vice president; Scott Brown, secretary; Traighter, treasurer; Lipscomb, sergeant at arms.

**THE Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION.**

Last Saturday the doors of Mrs. Kerbey's rooms were thrown wide by the girls of the Young Woman's Christian Association from five to seven to receive all the new girls in the University.

As each girl entered the room she was given a slip of paper with her name written on it, and of a color to designate the church she belonged to. Later all girls wearing the same color gathered together and decided on a meeting place for church Sunday.

Punch was served the whole afternoon and the time passed very pleasantly.

This reception served to make the old and new girls acquainted with each other and to start them off for the year on a ground of goodfellowship. The Y. W. C. A. is bringing all the University girls closer together each year and now that we have Miss Bachelder, the new secretary, with us to help so ably, the good work ought to flourish.

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### THE HASKELL GAME.

This is the day for our hardest game of the season. We have not a proposition like the T. C. U. this time, but are up against what justly claims to be the strongest team of the Southwest. The Indians are not strangers on our gridiron, but have visited Texas for the past several years, and have always carried our scalp home with them. Last year, however, they won only by a magnificent kick at a critical moment of the game, and Texas held them down to a score of 4-0.

This year the charm must be broken; we can not take another defeat at the hands of the Red Men. Every student must get into the spirit of the game and cheer old Texas through thick and thin. Almost every boy or girl knows the 'Varsity yells; and if you don't know the yells, come out and make a fuss after the dictates of your own fancy—enthusiasm and spirit is what we need.

The Indians are coached this year by the famous Boyd Hall, and have a stronger team than the one of last season. One or two additions to the team are men from the Carlisle eleven, and all are in splendid training. The Texas team is going to play the game from start to finish, and every student must get a megaphone and do his part. Come out and help make the Red Men feel blue.

### THE MAGAZINE.

The first issue of the 'Varsity Magazine is due on the fifteenth of this month, and rumor says it will be a splendid issue. The monthly publication is, and has been for years, one of the most interesting literary productions of the University, is full of good stories, fair poetry and genuine bits of humor. This year the publication should be a signal success, and should receive the hearty support of the students.

As is announced elsewhere in these columns, there will be the regular meeting Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. to select the members of the Executive Committee for the Students' Association. The students should give this meeting real thought and attention, for the committee elected has charge of practically all the student interests, including the 'Varsity student publications, the celebration of all public holidays, and has authority to fill all vacancies in the student offices which may occur.

### FRATERNITIES.

This year the fraternities, by common consent, have returned to their original custom with reference to taking in of new members, and are pledging them without any restriction. Two years ago the fraternities convened and decided upon a "three months' ruling"—an agreement between all the chapters not to "bid" anyone before December. But this was far from satisfactory and resulted in so much hard feeling and personal antagonism between the fraternities that last year the policy was changed again, giving all the chapters the right of pledging after one month. This was an improvement, though it, too, was not satisfactory.

The old policy has been returned to this year and has proved in many ways a success; certainly the Greeks are on better terms now than they have been for several years—there is less personal antagonism, almost none in fact, and the present spirit of co-operation will undoubtedly have its end in good. And, too, the present method of pledging allows the fraternity men to concentrate their "rushing" into a few days, and then settle down with little loss of time to their studies and other duties.

Much has been said of having a ruling among the fraternities that no one of them shall invite any first year student to join. This has never been tried in Texas, but may prove to be the best solution of the problem. However, the present policy is the most satisfactory one in many respects that has yet been actually followed here, as the University at support of the students.

A change has been made this year in the matter of entrance requirements and matriculation, which is more than a mere question of "red tape." Under the former system, if a student came here and took the examinations and failed in any one of them, he was refused admittance regardless of how able he was to do the work. Now, however, if a student fails to make the required grade, he is referred to the President to whose discretion the matter is submitted. If the candidate for admission is a strong, mature student, and simply failed to make the required grade because he had been out of school several years, or from some other good cause, the President has the authority to admit him if he sees fit so to do. This is undoubtedly a change that will be attended with beneficial results, for it makes the requirements more elastic and practicable.

### AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE.

The following telegram has just been received from Seoul, Korea:

"The University of Texas,  
Austin, Texas.

"I leave with my entire retinue in the near future with the Taft party for America, and hope to reach your city about the last of November. Wait for me.

(Signed.) "THE KING OF KOREA."

The editorial staff of the daily Californian have accepted a challenge from the editors of the "Daily Palo Alto" to play a game of baseball in the near future. This is certainly a novel proceeding, and evidences the feeling of good fellowship between the University of California and Leland Stanford.

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## SOCIETY.

The first University dance of the year took place at North Austin Hall last Saturday evening. The floor of the new hall proved to be good; the music was splendid and the wind blowing through the many windows made fans an unnecessary luxury. Those who helped initiate the new hall into the 'Varsity world were: Misses Bacon, Hancock, Gould, Weller, Bennie Brown, Willette Brown, Shelton, Stedman, Parks, Matthews, Cowan, Stratton, Wooldridge, Estill, Hall, Pendleton, Gegram, Morey, Borden and Messrs. Cobbs, Grinnen, McKean, Pope, Lanham, King, Sears, Isaacs, Lathrop, Adoue, Hoggsett, Jones, Watkin, Shannon Watkin, Estill, Slaton and Kerbey.

Alpha Theta chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta was at home to its many friends Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 7 at 2503 Whitis avenue. The chapter house was a bower of beauty; palms, bamboo and other greens transformed the rooms into a fairyland. Pink hooded lights cast a soft glow over a rose embowered table, from which five of the Theta judges, Misses Minnie and Lenna Williams, Pauline Davis, Ledo Nash and Willie May Kell served frozen punch to callers. In the receiving line were Mesdames Windsor, Ransome, Simonds, Jefferson Johnson, Misses Sara Eno, a transfer from the University of Michigan, and Miss Myrtle Garrett, the latest judge. The active members of Kappa Alpha Theta never looked more charming than on this occasion. They were: Misses Grace Nash, Willie Davis, Adele Johnson, Anna Simonds, Lily Campbell, Alma Proctor, Jenness Freize, Sadie Kell, Lena Greer, Lucy Whitney, Hallett McPhail.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity gave a delightful trolley party last Friday night, which gave many of the new girls a splendid opportunity to see all over the city, and at the same time enjoy congenial company.

Last Friday night the upper classmen of the Woman's Building tendered a delightful dance to the Freshmen girls in the dining room of the building. Besserer's band furnished music complimentary, and fruit punch was served to the honorees.

The following card has been issued: Jota Chapter of Chi Omega, Wednesday October eighteenth; to meet Miss Abernathy, 5 to 7 p. m. Chi Omega Hall, 1704 Rio Grande street.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Luther Lowry of Waco came down with the T. C. U. boys for the game Saturday.

Rembert Watson is visiting his 'Varsity friends. He served as an official in the T. C. U. game.

Harris Duncan of Burnet saw the game last Saturday.

Hal Logan returned to the 'Varsity last week after spending the summer camping in Colorado.

Misses Ruby West and Janie Ellis, former 'Varsity students, are teaching in the Austin public schools this year.

Percy Baker, '95, spent Sunday in Austin. He is practicing law at San Angelo.

E. Cowan Connor, C. E. '05 of Dallas, who spent the summer in European

travel, has been with friends at the University since Tuesday.

Don't fail to come out to the Haskell game this afternoon. You can't afford to miss it.

Miss Irron of Henderson has entered the University. She is living at the Woman's Building.

Miss Margaret Spence of San Angelo has re-entered the University.

Miss Alice Davis is supernumerary in the El Paso schools.

Miss Fannie Montgomery is attending the Merrill Van Laer school, New York city.

Miss Kate Conerly of San Angelo, who attended the University last year, was married June 20 to Mr. J. D. Creath of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Creath reside in Ballinger.

Miss Mary Hilliard is quarantined in Louisiana and will not be able to enter the University until November.

Miss Julia Estill is teaching in Fredericksburg.

Miss Sadie Milspaugh is teaching in San Angelo.

Miss Jeanne Borraum is teaching in Del Rio.

Miss Bettie Smith returned Monday from her home in Crockett.

Miss Alice Bachelder, Y. W. C. A. secretary, will be pleased to see the University girls at any time in her room, No. 23 in the Woman's Building.

The Chi Omega fraternity gave an enjoyable card party Monday evening.

Miss Elsie Brown of San Antonio, after a pleasant visit to the Chi Omegas, has returned to her home.

Misses Grace Lanham and Julia Myrick are late matriculates.

Miss Beulah Schield has withdrawn from the University and will leave soon for her home in San Antonio.

Miss Annie Bell Arion of Henderson arrived Monday night and is domiciled at the Woman's Building.

Miss Virdian Barham of Nacogdoches re-entered the University last Friday.

Miss Lonie Meachum of Navasota, who attended the University year before last, is back again.

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## ALUMNI NOTES.

A letter received a day or so ago from G. D. Hunt of Dallas, reports that he is in the active law business in that city.

Ben Powell, a former graduate of the Law Department and public speaker, expects to make the University a visit in the near future.

Dr. Marion P. Stone, '03, Medical Department, University of Texas, was appointed interne in the German Hospital of Philadelphia.

Dr. Walter E. Kelton, '05, Medical Department, University of Texas, secured an internship in the German Hospital of Philadelphia.

Miss Anne Townes is in Bryn Mawr College pursuing graduate work in that institution.

Felix E. Smith, B. L., '99, has resigned the superintendency of the Victoria schools to accept a similar position at San Angelo.

N. R. Crozier, B. A., '99, resigned his position at Mexia, and was elected superintendent of the Huntsville school.

Abe H. Goldstein, B. S., '99, LL. B., '01, was married last May.

R. B. Creager, LL. B., '00, is United States Commissioner at Brownsville. He was married February 3, 1904, to Miss Alice Terrell, of Terrell.

R. E. Thomason, LL. B., '00, is County Attorney of Cooke County. He was married February 14, 1905.

H. L. Crosby, B. A., '02, received his Ph. D. degree from Harvard last June. During the coming academic year he will supply for Professor Bates, of the University of Pennsylvania, who is absent on leave.

E. P. R. Duval, B. S., '01, M. S., '02, was married July 13, 1905, to Miss Katie Cole, of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Duval will spend the summer at Staunton, Virginia.

C. L. B. Shuddemagen, B. S., '02, M. S., '04, spent the past year in Harvard studying Physics. At the end of the year he was awarded one of the Harvard graduates' prizes of \$200 on his thesis.

H. P. Steger, B. A., '02, M. A., '04, was awarded last May the Rhodes scholarship for Texas. He is at present in Germany, but will take up his residence in Oxford in September.

Scott W. Key, LL. B., '02, was married in Waco, June 1.

C. I. Alexander, B. S., '02, will teach next year in Hoitt's School, Menlo Park, California.

Will N. Foster, LL. B., '02, was married in April to Miss McClay of Richmond. His firm is Nugent & Foster, Conroe.

J. B. Files, LL. B., '02, is senior member of the firm of Files & Blanchard, Shreveport, Louisiana. He was married December 31.

W. R. Jones, LL. B., '02, is County Attorney of Panola County.

Miss Octavia Nichols, B. A., '02, was recently married to Mr. George Edwards, of Dallas.

Miss Ethel Zivley Rather, B. A., '02, M. A., '03, has received an appointment as fellow in American History in Cornell University.

Lee Phillips, B. S., '01, was drowned in April, 1905, while on a fishing excursion near Eagle Pass.

Miss Mattie Alice Austin, B. Lit., '02, M. A., '03, was married the latter part of June to Mr. C. W. Hatcher, of Austin.

H. E. Alexander, LL. B., '02, is practicing law at Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Spurgeon Bell, B. S., '02, who has for several years been teaching Physics in John Tarleton College, has entered the University of Chicago to study Economics.

O. D. Hargiss, B. S., '02, was married June 28, 1905, to Miss Eula von Rosenberg, of Austin. Mr. Hargiss is Assistant in Chemistry at the A. & M. College.

A. M. Frazier, B. S., '03, LL. B., '04, is practicing law at Batson. He was married in December, 1904.

J. J. Averitte, B. S., '03, has accepted a position in the Comptroller's Department at the Capitol.

## 'VARSITY GLEE CLUB.

The Club Organizes and is in Flourishing Condition.

An unusually large number of young men turned out at the first meeting of the Glee club Monday at 5 p. m. Many of the old reliables were there, among them all of last year's quartet. After remarks by President Wall and Dr. Perick, the testing of voices began. Some excellent voices were discovered, though there was not time for the reception of all the applicants.

Nearly thirty men in all were at this first meeting, and many more have expressed their intention of applying. Let no one stay away from timidity. All will receive the kindest treatment and the utmost consideration at the hands of the examining committee. They want all men who can sing at all to apply. Of course any stars will be welcomed, provided they are willing to let their light shine, as occasion demands.

The club has the brightest prospect in its history, all of last year's best men, several good ones already received, and other known good ones to come. Besides the pleasure and profit of meeting together for regular rehearsals twice a week for an hour, there is the anticipation of a week's trip in either the winter or spring term. The Glee Club trip is acknowledged to be the most attractive of all those offered by the University. Of course all who join the club will not make the trip, but those who do the best work will. Let all who expect to join at all, come now, especially if they wish to stand any chance of making a trip. Do not hide your light under a bushel by waiting for a special invitation, for no one may know that you can sing. Come to the Auditorium next Friday at 4:30 or any Monday or Friday at 5 p. m.

## JUNIORS.

The meeting of the Junior class has been postponed until Saturday at 3:30 p. m. All members of the class are urged to be present, as officers are to be elected. Remember the time and place—3:30 o'clock in Room 44.

The slate roof of the Auditorium is being replaced by tin. It was found that the great weight of the slate was considerably injuring the walls and roof trusses, and so it was thought advisable to make the change.

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## PROGRAMS.

## Rusk.

Declamations—N. E. Reed, J. P. Mars.  
Orations—T. J. Holbrook, C. W. Gray.  
Debate No. 1.—Affirmative: E. B. Griffin, J. I. Kercheville. Negative: G. A. Odam, J. W. Minton.

Question: Resolved, that the Chinese are justifiable in boycotting American commerce.

Debate No. 2.—Affirmative: W. L. Cook, H. S. Yates. Negative: J. P. Simpson, H. W. Stilwell.

Question: Resolved, that the Legislators of Texas should be paid a stipulated amount that would not be conditioned on the length of time they were in session.

## Athenaeum.

Saturday night, October 14, 1905, 8:30 o'clock.

Declamation—Dick O. Terrell.

Oration—L. L. Montgomery.

Debate—Affirmative: E. G. Calloway, C. D. Wallace, R. R. Smith, J. H. Rose. Negative: H. E. Bell, G. O. Ferguson, H. A. Shryock, Jno. C. Townes.

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## AMONG THE LAWYERS.

W. F. Buckley, quiz master in the Law Department, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is reported to be improving rapidly. During his illness Geo. S. Wright has been acting as quiz master for the Senior law class.

Under the new system in vogue in the Law Department there is increased work among the students. So far, however, but little complaint has been heard in regard to the change. All seem to doing very close work, and are hopeful of making an unprecedented record in the department.

## Juniors Meet.

The class meeting of the Junior Laws was not lacking in spirit when it convened Friday evening. To the profound outbursts of eloquence which the nominating speeches elicited, the upper classmen added their applause. For some reason, however, the assistance of the upper classmen was not appreciated, and in the scramble which followed, some of the mighty Seniors were captured, and subjected to the rigors of the statutes.

The following officers were elected: J. B. Marshall, president; F. M. Ryburn, vice president; Duncan, secretary, Hugh Stone, treasurer; Zinnecker, marshal.

Those who have been lamenting the decalence of college spirit, are in better spirits. Some unseen hand desecrated the water tank, with the symbols of the Engineering class of '09, Sunday night. All day Monday the glaring insolence of the white letters stood as a challenge to the Junior Laws. There was much perturbation among the laws as to whether the new comers, the class of Law '08, would show themselves worthy successors to the former classes. However, Tuesday night all doubts were dispelled, when on the night air was borne the triumphant yell of the blood thirsty Junior Laws. The conflict was prolonged, and exciting, but at its close every hated symbol was erased, and old "Perry" vindicated.

## LOCAL.

Mrs. Neil Carothers is in receipt of a handsome group photograph of the first class of Rhodes scholars of Oxford University, sent to her by her son, Neil Carothers, who won the scholarship from the University of Arkansas. Above the picture is a beautifully executed coat-of-arms of Oxford, a blue shield bearing three crowns arranged triangularly around an open book, which bears the inscription "Domino Nustio Illumea." This picture is of especial interest to Texas students as it contains the likeness of Mr. Ashby, who won the U. of T. scholarship in 1904.

The east door of the main building has been reopened, much to the joy of the engineers. Because of faulty drainage, the arch which supports the entrance platform had begun to weaken, and to avoid all possibility of accidents, President Houston had the damage repaired.

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